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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RE: Application:

Frank Seela, et al.

Serial No: 10/070,340

Filing Date: June 4, 2002

Title: 2-AZAPURINE COMPOUNDS AND
THEIR USE

Examiner: Unassigned

Art Unit: 1635

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STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

On June 4, 2002, Applicants filed a Utility Application Request, in the above-identified application. No communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application.

A Power of Attorney by Assignee is enclosed on behalf of the undersigned.

Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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**POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE
AND EXCLUSION OF INVENTOR(S) UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.71**Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The undersigned assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified subject application recorded on March 26, 2003, Reel/Frame 013517/0126, hereby appoints:

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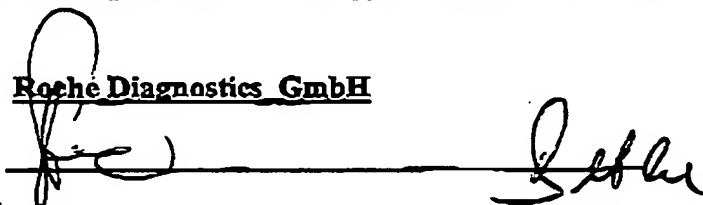
as its attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, said appointment to be to the exclusion of the inventors and their attorney(s) in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 3.71.

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